

VALFIX FILM COATED TABLET 150MG

Lamivudine (150mg)

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What VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG is used for

Treating HIV infected adult & children in combination with other antiretroviral agents.

How VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG works

VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG is an antiviral medicine that suppresses human immunodeficiency virus (HIV). It belongs to a group of medicines called nucleoside analogue reverse transcriptase inhibitors (NRTIs).

Before you use VALFIX F.C. 150MG TABLET

When you must not take it

When you are allergic to VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG or any other ingredient listed at the end of this leaflet. Check with your doctor if you think this applies to you.

Before you start to take it

Tell your doctor if you are allergic to any other medicines or have any other medical conditions.

If you have Kidney Disease:

Discuss the use of VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG with your doctor or health care provider if you have kidney disease.

If you have Liver Disease/Liver Transplantation:

Please speak with your doctor or health care provider if you have a history of liver disease.

In the case where treatment with VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG is discontinued for any reason, patient should periodically monitor for liver function.

Taking other medicines

Tell your doctor if you are taking any other medicines, including any that you buy without a prescription from pharmacy, supermarket or health food shop.

Some medicines when taken with VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG may interfere with each other. These include:

- Co-trimoxazole
- Emtricitabine
- Cladribine
- Other medicinal products containing lamivudine.

How to take VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG

How much to take

150mg twice daily or 300 mg once daily, to be taken with or without food. Please take this medication according to doctor's instructions. Dose adjustment maybe required for children, elderly and patient with impaired renal function. No dose adjustment is necessary in patients with moderate or severe liver problems unless accompanied by impaired renal function.

When to take it

VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG should be taken according to doctor's instruction.

How long to take it

VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG should be taken according to doctor's instructions.

If you forget to take it

If you miss a dose of VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG and you are taking it regularly, take it as soon as possible. If several hours have passed or if it is nearing time for the next dose, do not double the dose to catch up, unless advised by your health care provider. Do not take 2 doses at once to make up for the missed dose.

If you take too much (overdose)

Accidentally taking too much VALFIX F. C. TABLET 150MG is unlikely to cause any serious problems. However, you should seek for medical attention.

While you are using VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG

Things you must do

Take the tablet according to doctor's prescription.

Tell your doctor immediately if you become pregnant while taking this medication.

Things you must not do

Do not stop taking this medicine or change the dosing regimen without instruction of your doctor. Do not give VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG to anyone else, even if they have the same condition as you.

Things to be careful of

When on treatment with this medicine, take it with caution in patient with impaired renal function. Please strictly adhere to the doctor's instructions.

Side effects

Common side effect are as follows:

- Excessive lactate in blood
- Rash
- Hair loss
- Fever
- Tiredness
- Headache
- Abdominal discomfort
- Abdominal pain
- Feeling sick (nausea)
- Being sick (vomiting)
- Diarrhea

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- Muscle pain and discomfort
- Joint pain

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Visit your doctor or pharmacist immediately if you experience any side effects after taking this medicine.

You may report any side effects or adverse drug reactions directly to the National Centre for Adverse Drug Reaction Monitoring visiting the website npra.gov.my [Consumers ☐ Reporting Side Effects to Medicines (ConSERF) or Vaccines (AEFI)]

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Storage and Disposal of VALFIX F.C. TABLET 150MG

Storage

Keep in a tight container. Store below 30°C, protect from light & moisture.

Disposal

Tell your doctor or pharmacist if you stop taking the tablets or the tablets have passed their expiry date. This medication should not be disposed of via wastewater or household waste. Ask them what to do with any tablets that are left over.

Product description

What it looks like

A white colour film coated diamond shaped tablet, one side impressed with “YSP”



Ingredients

Active(s):-

Lamivudine

Non active ingredients(s):-

Microcrystalline Cellulose
Sodium Starch Glycolate
Magnesium Stearate
Colloidal Silicon Dioxide
Hydroxypropyl Methylcellulose
Polyethylene Glycol
Titanium Dioxide